IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :Vulpitta, et al.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed August 20, 2002. This application is on behalf of other than a small entity. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$320.00. The required fee is enclosed herewith.

A Petition for a one month Extension of Time is enclosed.

If the submitted fee is insufficient for the Notice of Appeal and/or for the extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. This sheet is submitted in triplicate to facilitate any such charge.

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